GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Smt. K. Shakuntala, the then Municipal Commissioner, Madanapalle Municipality, Chittoor District - Disciplinary Proceedings instituted under Rule-20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Enquiry conducted - Further action dropped - Warned to be careful in future - Orders - Issued.

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MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.II-2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 541 **Dated: 30-08-2016**

Read the following:-

1. From CDMA, AP, Hyderabad Lr.Roc.No.19865/2013/C3, Dt.26.07.2014.
2. G.O.Rt.Nos.682 MA&UD (Vig.II-2)Dept., dt.20.08.2014
3. Served copy of Smt. K. Shakuntala, the then MC, Madanapalle Municipality, dt.23.07.2014.
4. G.O.Rt.Nos.443 MA&UD (Vig.II-2)Dept., dt.27.06.2015.
5. Enquiry report from enquiry officer, dt.10.06.2016.
6. Govt.Memo No.11896/Vig.II-2/2014, Dt.14.07.2016.
7. Written explanation of Smt. K. Shakuntala, the then MC, Madanapalle Municipality dt.17.07.2016.

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O R D E R:

In the reference 1st read above, the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, AP, Hyderabad has furnished the draft articles of charges against Smt. K. Shakuntala, the then Municipal Commissioner and two others, Madanapalle Municipality, Chittoor District along for not following due procedure in allotment of sanitation works in Madanapalle Municipality for the year 2013-14. Accordingly, charges were issued against Smt. K. Shakuntala, the then Municipal Commissioner and two others, Madanapalle Municipality, Chittoor District vide reference 2nd read above.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the served copy of the charged officer has been received and even lapse of stipulated time, she has not submitted her written statement of defense. After examination of the matter, in the reference 4th read above, orders were issued appointing Enquiry Officer to inquire into the charges framed against the charged officers.

3. In the reference 5th read above, the Enquiry Officer has submitted his enquiry report.

4. In the reference 6th read above, a copy of the Enquiry Report has been communicated to Smt K. Sakunthala, the then Municipal Commissioner, Madanapalle Municipality & other C.Os with a direction to submit their written representation on the findings of the Enquiry Officer.

5. In the reference 7th read above, the Charged Officer Smt K. Sakunthala, the then Municipal Commissioner, Madanapalle Municipality has submitted her written representation on the findings of Inquiry Authority.

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6. After examination of the enquiry report and the representation of the charged officer, Govt. have decided to drop further action against Smt K. Sakunthala, the then Municipal Commissioner, Madanapalle Municipality and exonerate her from the charges, as her lapse is only a procedural lapse and there are no financial loss to the Municipality. Accordingly, Government hereby drop further action against Smt K. Sakunthala, the then Municipal Commissioner, Madanapalle Municipality, Chitoor District and exonerate her from the charges and she is warned to be more careful in future.

7. The Director of Municipal Administration, AP, Guntur shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R. KARIKAL VALAVEN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Smt K. Sakunthala, the then Municipal Commissioner, Madanapalle Municipality, Chittoor District and working in Tenali Municipality, Guntur District – **through** the DMA, AP, Gunutr.
The Director of Municipal Administration, A.P, Guntur.

Copy to:

The MA&UD(A) Department.
The Regional Director-Cum-Appellate Commissioner of Municipal Administration, Anantapuramu
The Commissioner, Madanapalle Municipality, Chittoor Dt.
The PS to M (MA & UD).
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SECTION OFFICER